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C 6 --Figure 1 is a side view of the shears according to the invention. In the illustrated embodiment, the drum 3 is supported by two rockers 4, wherein another rocker 4 is arranged behind the rocker 4 appearing in the drawing. Similarly, another

support element 10 and another drive 13 are arranged exactly  
behind the illustrated elements.--

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